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Chamber announces winners

Elk Point Chamber of Commerce has announced the winners of their 1990 Christmas Lighting and Decorating Contest, with judges once again finding the decisions regarding winners difficult to make, due to the large number of attractively decorated homes in the community.

While several of the winners have been on the prize lists in previous years, a first time winner topped the Houses With Lights Only category. Reo and Janice VanMaarion are to be congratulated on their fine lighting display, which resulted in a first prize of \$ 25 from the Chamber. Tony and Yvette Bochon placed second, while another new winner, Bill and Adella Jennissen, placed third in the Lights Only division.

Perennial winner Pauline Pankiw once again topped the Lights and Displays category, with the ever-growing winter wonderland she has created in her yard. Emil and Virginia Mudryk are also familiar names in this category, and placed second this year with their extensive display. Doug and Donna Bassett placed third.

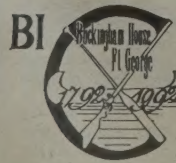
The Commercial category again saw several-time winners in the top two spots, with Dave's Pizza taking first prize and Capitol IDA Pharmacy second. Video Point, whose exterior lighting certainly brightened up that section of Main Street, placed third.

Prize cheques for \$ 25, \$ 15 and \$ 10 will be awarded in each category.



Suncor Grant For Seniors

Elk Point Pioneer Circle received a pleasant post-Christmas surprise in the form of a \$ 1000 cheque from Suncor Incorporated Oilsands Group. The cheque was presented by Dan Demchuk, a retired Suncor employee who is now the Vice Chairman of the Pioneer Circle, to Sid Holthe, Co-Chairman of the Advisory Committee now involved in planning a new facility for the Pioneer Circle. Suncor encourages volunteer community involvement by their employees by providing community service grants of this sort. The grant will be much appreciated by the Pioneer Circle, which recently initiated a major fundraising project toward construction of their new facility.



BICENTENNIAL

- One year to go

Billie Milholland
Chairperson, Bicentennial Committee

In 1792, on the banks of the North Saskatchewan River just southeast of Elk Point, two fur trading forts were constructed. Angus Shaw, of the North West Company, supervised the building of Fort George and just across the ravine, William Tomlinson, of the rival Hudson's Bay Company, directed his crew as they built Buckingham House. These two forts marked the beginning of a frantic race for furs along the North Saskatchewan River. 1992, the 200th anniversary of the forts, is a perfect time for all of us to celebrate 200 years of our rich and varied history. With this end in mind, The Elk Point Municipal Council struck an ad hoc Bicentennial Committee, which was instructed to organize and pro-

mote the Bicentennial over the course of the whole year.

The Bicentennial Committee met for the first time on September 22, 1990. From that first brain storming session and subsequent meetings before Christmas, the committee has drawn up a tentative timeline for the 1992 celebrations.

Spring 1991

There are plans for Bicentennial signage along the highway as well as a replica of fort gates welcoming visitors to Elk Point and area.

Thanksgiving 1991

After the giant pumpkin weigh-in, in Smoky Lake during the Thanksgiving Weekend, the Pumpkin Confederation will put up a pumpkin display in the Library to encourage people to

make growing a giant pumpkin their Bicentennial project.

December 1991

There will be a grand kickoff into 1992 with representation from Fort Edmonton (Bicentennial 1995) and Lac La Biche (Bicentennial 1998). During this time, members of the Smoky Lake Pumpkin Confederation will be present to issue a giant pumpkin challenge to Elk Point growers for 1992 and they will make available the giant seeds required.

February 1992

St. Paul will be hosting the 1992 Regional Winter Games in February and there are plans for Elk Point to host some of the events as well as a Dog Sled Competition.

Canada Day 1992

Fur Trade Theme.

Heritage Day Weekend, August 1,2,3, 1992

Designed to be the major event in the Bicentennial year. It will feature a giant Western Canadian Craft and Art Show, black powder events featuring The Edmonton House Brigade and local black powder enthusiasts, a heritage food fair and ethnic displays. Other events that are still in the planning stages are a choral festival, a dance festival, a fiddle and jiggling competition, a sheep to shawl event, a midway, and an antique car rally. Anyone who has any other ideas for this celebration please phone Billie at 724-3800, weekdays.

Thanksgiving 1992

Elk Point Bicentennial pumpkins to Smoky Lake for judging.

December 1992

Pass on the Bicentennial Ceremony, to Fort Edmonton (1995) and Lac La Biche (1998). A community event with a bean and bannock supper.

I am working full-time until March in the Community Services Building and will be using at least three days a week to do the ground work for these celebrations. Anyone who would like more information about any of these events or who has other ideas, please phone me at 724-3800 or drop in between 8:30 and 4:30 any weekday.

Also, watch for an Elk Point History Column in this paper in the new year, where you will be able to read about many interesting historical incidents.



New Uniforms From Norcen

Allan Frankiw of Norcen Energy Resources presents Reo Van Maarion (right) and Ron Dunlop of the Elk Point PeeWee hockey team with a cheque for \$ 1605, with \$ 855 of this sum to go toward new Norcen sweaters for the formerly Westmin-sponsored team, and the balance toward trophies and medallions for this past weekend's Norcen Cup Pee Wee Tournament, which is now in its seventh year, under the sponsorship of Westmin and Norcen.

F.G. Miller High School breaks for the holidays

Irene Magnusson
Elk Point

Friday, December 21, was the happy day students and staff alike packed it in for the winter holidays, and how better to wind up this portion of the year than with an all-hands brunch? Especially when the food was purchased and prepared by the staff and served to the students in the auditorium.

Whether every one of the 22 staff members actually had a hand in preparing the ample and varied assortment of dishes, it is certain everyone present helped to dispatch the offering in short order. The 'everyone' included about 200 students, from grades seven to twelve, plus invited guests and teachers.

Before the serious business of eating commenced, the gathering was greeted by Principal Jim Hawkins, who introduced the guests. Guests included Ivy and Bill Ference, trustee; Constable Doug and

Debbielou Huskins; Millie Orr (who supplied flowers for the occasion); Rev. Sam Donaldson, U.C. (who asked a blessing); and Ray Danyluk and Jim Tilton, coaches. Other guests invited were unable to attend.

Superintendent T. Cabaj briefly addressed the gathering; all Bus Drivers were acknowledged and thanked for their careful transportation of students through the year.

Trophies were presented to Sr. Boys' Volleyball by Jim Tilton: to Patrick Leung, Rookie of the Year; to Todd Youngmans, Most Improved Player, and to Michael Bepalko, Most Valuable Player.

Girls' Sr. Volleyball awards went to: Nicole Poitras, Rookie of the Year; Rhonda Rupchan, Most Improved Player; and Tammy Poleschuk, Most Valuable Player.

Kristin Kittlitz was noted for her work on the Yearbook; Cheri Lindquist (teacher) for her attention to the Grad Class; along with staff

advisors, Denise Amyotte and Angela Friesen, coach Ernie Corbin received mention.

Long tables had been set out in the gym, and it was not long after the wagons of food were wheeled in, and the chefs began serving the guests, that the busy silence of hungry persons giving attention to delicious food fell. A long winter recess of 16 days will allow staff and students alike to return to the classrooms with renewed energy and appreciation for the halls of learning.

Pioneer Circle bingo

December 17, 1990

Lena Kuziw \$ 18, Viola Yarmuch \$ 10, Vern Benner \$ 10, Anton Zarowny \$ 7, George Botting \$ 7, Nettie Babenek \$ 7, Ernestine Dion \$ 20, Josie Zarowny \$ 20, Dan Demchuk \$ 20, Dolphus Fryingpan \$ 8, Olga Melnyk \$ 11, Mary Rose Piesinger \$ 19, Mary Rose Piesinger \$ 20, Adella Jennissen \$ 20, Kathy Zarowny \$ 7, Bill Dewey \$ 7, Margaret Clark \$ 7, Nettie Babenek \$ 20, Ernestine Dion \$ 20, Mike Watchmaker \$ 30, Adella Jennissen \$ 17, Jennie Glover \$ 17, Nancy Heinemann \$ 5.50, Stanley Jendruck \$ 5.50, Minnie Moneta \$ 11, Nancy Heinemann \$ 5.50, Grace Durocher \$ 5.50, Lena Cap \$ 11, Harry Shankowski \$ 11.

Senior high basketball

Tracey Lynne McLellan
Manager

On Monday, December 17, the F.G. Miller Senior Girls basketball team endured the tough competition of the ladies Pacers team. Although the score was somewhat unbalanced (91-27, for the Pacers) our girls played hard, and demonstrated a tremendous amount of effort. Barb Naber got the most rebounds, and our top scorers were Lori Irvine and Cindy Smith. The Pacers are an excellent team, and we enjoyed the opportunity to play with them. We're looking forward to possibly having the chance to play them again in the new year.

Thank you to all those who have bought tickets from both Senior High teams. There are still more tickets to be sold, and we really appreciate your support in this area.

Merry Christmas to all, on behalf of the Senior High Basketball teams, and best wishes in 1991.

The Town of ELK POINT Notices & Information



Get Involved in 1991

The Town of Elk Point invites residents to sit on volunteer Boards and Committee on a regular, ongoing basis.

The town is currently seeking four to six enthusiastic individuals to sit on the Community Services Board and Municipal Library Board.

COMMUNITY SERVICES BOARD - 1 MEMBER (2-YEAR TERM)

Individuals with an interest in preventive social services and recreation/cultural programs and services have an opportunity as a member of this Board, to advise the municipal Council on such matters, through a forum that provides a mechanism for discussion and implementation of community services.

MUNICIPAL LIBRARY BOARD - 3 TO 5 MEMBERS (3-YEAR TERM)

We are seeking 3 to 5 enthusiastic individuals, with a keen interest in providing public library services, with the operation of a modern, new library, to fill vacancies which currently exist in the Board's membership. Individuals appointed will find serving on this board a pleasure.

Council will consider applications, for appointment to these Boards, from individuals who are residents of the town of Elk Point and are at least 18 years of age.

All applications to serve as a member shall be submitted in writing, with a clear indication of the applicant's consent to act in the capacity as a Board member, prior to Council considering such an appointment. Applications will be received by the Town of Elk Point until Friday, January 11, 1991.

Further information on the role of a Board member may be obtained from the Municipal Administrator, Town Office, 4914-50 Avenue, Elk Point, Alberta, T0A 1A0 or by telephone 724-3810.

Dated at Elk Point this 21st day of December, A.D., 1990.

L.P. (Pat) Vincent, LGA
Municipal Administrator
Town of Elk Point

Don't Forget...

Chamber of
Commerce
meets
Wednesday,
January 2, 1991,
12:00 noon at
the Empress

Lindbergh Red Cross

W. Elaszuk
Lindbergh

At a recent raffle held at the Canadian Red Cross in Calgary, the quilt made by the Lindbergh Red Cross Branch went to Jean Gray of Calgary.

The second prize afghan went to Nadine Browning of Canmore.

The raffle raised \$ 827.00. This money will go to Red Cross International Services.

A word of thanks for our contribution was received from the Manager of International Services.

HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING IN YOUR WORLD

Brought to you by the
Lakeland Review.

Al-Anon Family Group Meeting Room
605, Elk Point Municipal Hospital,
Wednesday evening at 8:30 p.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous meeting,
Wednesday at 8:30 p.m., Room 604,
Elk Point Hospital.

T.O.P.S. meets every Wednesday,
6:30 p.m. till 7:30 p.m. at the Old
Courthouse, west door, Elk Point.

"Welcome Package" available for
newcomers moving into the town of
Elk Point. If you would like to receive
a package, please call Elk Point Com-
munity Services at 724-3800.

Elk Point Community Choir Rehearsals
on Sunday evenings from 7:30
p.m. to 9:30 p.m. in the Elk Point
Elementary School Music Room. All
Soprano, Alto, Tenor and Base voices
welcome.

Recycle your Paper - Paper Bin is lo-
cated in front of the Scout Hall (old
courthouse). We take newspapers,
flyers, computer and bond paper,
cereal boxes, etc. Either bundled with
string or in cardboard boxes, paper or
plastic bags.

Elk Point Public Library - Monday &
Thursday 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and 7 p.m.
to 9 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday & Fri-
day 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday 2 p.m.
to 5 p.m. Storytime- Friday at 10:30
a.m. Photocopies. Extended library
services and reliable information
sources. Public meeting space availa-
ble to non-profit organizations at no
charge. Please call the Elk Point
Library for booking at 724-3737.

The Elk Point Legion now meets on
the second Wednesday of each
month at 7:30 p.m. in the Seniors'
Centre.

Elk Point Auto Club - meets at the Em-
press Restaurant, Elk Point, the third
Wednesday of each month. For more
information call Ron at 724-2635.

Elk Point Oilettes regular meeting is
the first Thursday of every month. For
more information, call Genny at
724-4146.

AGT We bring
your world
to you.

Town of Elk Point

The town of Elk Point located 225 kms northeast of Edmonton,
population of 1,391, invites application for the position of

Municipal Administrator

Reporting directly to Mayor and Council, the municipal administrator is responsible for providing management direction to the town's operations including planning, co-ordination and control of all municipal departments, in accordance with Council approved policies and plans.

The successful candidate will have considerable management experience, preferably in a municipal environment. The successful candidate will also have demonstrated excellent oral and written communication skills, leadership and organizational ability, sound financial management ability and a good understanding of municipal government.

Preference will be given to applicants with formal municipal administration training and hold a certificate in Local Government Administration. An equivalent combination of education and experience, suited to this position, may be considered.

Salary is negotiable, and dependent upon education and experience.

Interested applicants are invited to submit a resume in confidence to:

TOWN OF ELK POINT
BOX 448
ELK POINT, ALBERTA
T0A 1A0



Deadline for application is January 21, 1991.



Legion Poppy Contest Awards

Joe Moneta of the Elk Point Branch, Royal Canadian Legion, visited Elk Point Elementary School to present awards to a number of branch level winners in the essay, poetry and poster contests centered around Remembrance Day. Winners were: Grade 4--Essays: 1. Justin Malachoski, 2. Jennifer Kadutski; Poems: 2. Corrine Low. Grade 5--Essay: 1. Paul Erickson; Poems: 1. Bruce Smith, 2. Carrie Baumgardner. Grade 6--Essays: 1. Matthew Vincent, 2. Amber Kopeck; Poems: 1. Chris Melnyk, 2. Trina Cardinal; Posters: 1. Clinton Maksymec, 2. David Naber.

Further Education news

Gladys Drobot
Elk Point

Hello again. 1990 is quickly coming to an end. Further Ed. courses were completed on December 19 and we are now looking forward to a new and busier year.

There will be two major changes in the new year. The first is, you will be starting the new year with Verona Lea Flanders as your new coordinator. Second, the office hours will be 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Courses start on January 14 with FUN AND FITNESS FOR SENIORS at the Community Services Center Gym from 10:00 a.m. Deadline for registration is Jan. 9. (Normally it would be Jan. 7 but the office doesn't open till the 8th so you will get a one-day extension.) Fee for this course is \$ 21.25, free if you are 65 or over. January 16, FUN AND FITNESS FOR SENIORS will begin at Heritage Lodge from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. JEWELLRY MAKING is scheduled for three Tuesdays beginning on Jan. 15 at the F.G. Miller Home Ec. Room from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. with Millie Orr. Cost is \$ 11.25 plus cost of material. Registration deadline is Jan. 9. We have some "brand new" courses coming this year and the first is a HOLIDAY TRAVEL SEMINAR with Rilla Higgins. This one-evening session goes on January 16 from 7:30 to 10:00 p.m. at the Further Education Centre. Cost is \$ 3.25. Deadline for registration is Jan. 9. MUKLUK MAKING, an old favorite being brought back at the request of several people, will be held at the F.G. Miller Home Ec. room on Thursdays, Jan. 17 to Feb. 21 with Diane Parenteau. There will be a one-hour orientation on Jan. 17 from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. Diane will tell you what you need and show you different types of leather. All other sessions will be held from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. Registration of \$ 20.00 payable by Jan. 10. A material fee of approximately \$ 60.00 will be collected by your instructor. MAXIMUM of 12. FARM RECORD KEEPING, a 10-hour course, goes on Mondays, January 21 and 28 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Further Education Centre with Monica King, D.H.E., as instructor.

A fee of \$ 12.50 is payable by Jan. 14. This course is co-sponsored by Alberta Agriculture and Further Education. A course that had a very poor start has really picked up and has almost full registration already is INFANT/CHILD FIRST AID AND CPR with Diana Anderson. This course will be taught Tues. and Wed., Jan. 22, 24, 29 and 31 from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. at the F.G. Miller Cafeteria. The fee is \$ 15.00 and a MAXIMUM of 10 people must register by Jan. 15, 1991. Six other NEW courses are coming in January as well. We hope to have a full house for GST FOR FARMERS on January 23 from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. at the Further Education Centre. There is no charge but please preregister by Jan. 16 so the instructors (from Revenue Canada) don't make the trip for nothing. The following day, Jan. 24, we have scheduled a GST FOR SMALL BUSINESS from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. at the Further Education Centre as well. This course, too, is free but please preregister by Jan. 16 so we can notify the speakers a week before the session. Bring all the questions you want answered and I hope we all go home much better informed than we are now. A three-hour PRERETIREMENT WORKSHOP will be held at the Elk Point Library from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 30 (tentative date). Instructor, Bob Adamyk. There is no charge for this course. For more information please call 724-3737. This workshop is cosponsored by the Elk Point Library and Further Education. COMPUTER ON WHEELS is a two-day course for farmers. It goes from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Jan. 31 and Feb. 1 at the Further Ed. Centre. Please pay \$ 60.00 registration fee to Alberta Agriculture, St. Paul, by Jan 21. Cosponsored by Alberta Agriculture, Lakeland College and Elk Point Further Education. FUTURESIM (Basic Grain Hedging) is a two-week course with 16 hours of workshops. Workshop days are Monday, Feb. 4 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.; Wed., Feb. 6 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.; and Friday, Feb. 15 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Further Education Centre. Register with your instructor, Terry Holmgren (645-6301) by Jan. 25. There is no charge for this course. Cosponsored by Alberta

Agriculture and Elk Point Further Education. SEWING WITH LEATHER is offered by Peggy Adomaitis on Mondays, from Feb. 4 to March 11. The orientation session on Feb. 4 is from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. All others are from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. at the F.G. Miller Home Ec. room. Course fee is \$ 16.25 plus your material. Deadline for registration is Jan. 28. SOCIAL DANCING goes Tuesdays and Thursdays, Feb. 5 to 28 from 7:30 to 10:00 p.m. at the Elementary School Gym. The fee is \$ 50.00 per couple to be paid by Jan. 28. Instructors are Natalie and George Parrott. Maximum of 20 couples. Register early. Our old standby, OIL PAINTING, starts on Thursday, Feb. 7 and goes every Thursday till March 28 from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. at the Further Education Centre with Ralph Kryvenchuk. Registration deadline is Jan. 31, 1991.

Please remember to register early. You are not registered till your fees are paid. Make cheques payable to Elk Point Further Education. We prefer a separate cheque for each course. Registration may be paid at the office, Tues., Wed., or Thurs. from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., or mailed to: Elk Point and District Further Education Council, Box 728, Elk Point, Alberta T0A 1A0. Make sure your cheque is sent early enough to arrive one week before the course is to begin. We ask for early registration to give your instructors time to make any arrangements they may need to make ahead of time.

Since this is my last newsletter, I would like to say "Thanks" to all the people who have been involved with Further Education during my three plus years as coordinator. To the instructors, students, Council members, school secretaries and janitors as well as high school students (who have shovelled walks, laid cement blocks, cut and watered lawn, built tables and shelves and delivered things from the school) you made my job so much easier by your participation and cooperation. I am sure Verona Lea will enjoy working with you as much as I did. Thanks again.

May the New Year be full of Peace, Prosperity, Good Health and Friendship.



Legion Awards

Joe Moneta of the Elk Point Branch, Royal Canadian Legion, (left) and F. G. Miller Art teacher Kaz Lazicki congratulate Grade 9 Poster winners Dale Pinder, first prize, and Jeremy Hodder, second prize, both at local level.

Jeannine's Fashions

Clearance Sale

40% - 50% OFF

REGULAR PRICE

WINTER STOCK:

* Dresses

* Suits by Paris Star, Pant Man, Garey Petite

ALL WINTER JACKETS 50% OFF Regular Price

Shop Now For Best Selection.

Congratulations to the winner of our Christmas Draw --

Mike Nychyporuk of Heinsburg.

Thanks to all our customers and Happy New Year.

Jeannine's Fashions

Main Street, Elk Point -- Ph. 724-4202

The Town of

ELK POINT Notices & Information



Public Notice to Proprietary Electors of the Town of Elk Point, Province of Alberta

Section 324 - the Municipal Government Act

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Town of Elk Point, in the Province of Alberta, has given first reading to money By-Law No. 514/90 which will, upon final passage and approval, authorize the proper officers of the said town to borrow monies by way of debenture issue, to pay for the cost of the following municipal purpose(s) namely the purchase of the remaining lands in the Alberta Mortgage and Housing Corporation residential and industrial land banks and development, all being located within the limits of the said municipality:

The total cost of the aforesaid project amounts to \$187,323. After deducting from this cost the amount of \$157,323 to be received by way of municipal reserves (AMPLE \$125,000) and municipal operating surplus (1990 - \$28,823), the net amount to be borrowed on the credit and security of the municipality at large by the issue of debentures is \$33,500.00. The debentures are to be repayable to the bearer in three (3) equal consecutive annual instalments of combined principal and interest, the annual interest not to exceed fourteen per centum (14%), or the interest rate as fixed from time to time by the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation:

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE is hereby given by the Council of the Town of Elk Point that, unless a petition of the proprietary electors for a vote on By-Law No. 514/90 is demanded, as provided for by the terms of Section 324 of the Municipal Government Act, the said Council may pass the said money by-law and submit it to the Local Authorities Board for final approval.

All persons interested are hereby notified and they are required to govern themselves accordingly.

INFORMATION FOR PROPRIETARY ELECTORS

A proprietary elector means:

(i) an elector whose name appears on the assessment roll in respect to land liable to assessment and taxation for general municipal purposes,

(i.1) an elector who owns a share of the capital stock of a family farm corporation as defined in the Income Tax Act (Canada) if that family farm corporation appears on the assessment roll in respect of land liable to assessment and taxation for general municipal purposes, and

(ii) an elector who is liable for the payment of a mobile unit license.

A poll may be demanded in the Town of Elk Point by a petition signed by proprietary electors equal in number to at least

(a) 5% of the population of a municipality as determined by the latest census, in a municipality having a population of 1,000 or more persons, or

(b) 10% of the population of a municipality as determined by the latest census, in a municipality having a population of less than 1,000 persons, in accordance with the provisions of Section 324 of the Municipal Government Act.

The petition for a vote must be received by the Municipal Administrator 15 days of the last publication of this notice and shall contain on each page "an accurate and identical statement of the purpose and objectives of the petition". (Further requirements of the petition are provided in Section 6 of the Municipal Government Act.)

DATE of the last publication of this notice is the 31st day of December 1990.

DATED at the Town of Elk Point, in the Province of Alberta this 19th day of December, 1990.

L.P. (PAT) VINCENT, L.G.A.
MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATOR

In Our View

Out with the old, in with the new

So our ninth decade winds down, with the bells of Christmas still ringing in our ears and the drums of war vibrating around the weary world. To those of us lucky enough to live in this best of all part of the world, we probably overstuff ourselves (again!) and cluttered our homes with an abundance of gifts, toys, games, clothing, jewelry and all those countless knick-knacks we love so well.

I don't know that we should feel guilty over this, but it wouldn't hurt for us to notice those who have so very little. Every mail brings a raft of those long envelopes, stuffed with pleas for money, (maddeningly listed out in precise amounts, \$ 25,

\$ 50, \$ 100, as though we were all too dense to figure out what we can afford to give) and I am sure many of us DO give; but sometimes, like you, I wonder just how much of what we send, if any, gets into the hands, or stomachs, of those most in need. We do seem required to take an awful lot on faith.

Most maddening, to me, are the thoughts of those desperate persons who are starving and dying of hunger, while their armed forces engage in the sadistic pleasures of waging "civil" war, destroying the lands and forests of their own countries, so they can sling bullets and bombs at each other and to hell with the citizens.

Meanwhile, caring foreigners risk life and reason, trying to filter in between the ambushes, raids and blown-up roads, to carry in a modicum of food and medication to a people whose own rulers treat their people like only so much gun-fodder.

All these thoughts are very hard on my digestion and loving disposition, so I will try to rip them away. What can one say of the year just past?

For a year that started out quite mild, not too much snow, not anywhere near enough rainfall, we did have fairly good gardens, lots of wild fruit, and (what?) medium crops. The summer was warm, the fall decent, but the winter so far is strictly from Siberia, and shouldn't happen to a hungry coyote.

The snow won't stay on the fields, to help next season's crops. Fortunately, a lot of it hasn't stuck on the roads either, to impede driving ... so where has it gone? My guess is that there hasn't been a lot of snow, all told. Just enough to clutter the driveways, polish the icy corners, and make life miserable for the cattle.

We have become a society of bird feeders; all around I see little shelves and boxes around the homes,

where we put out bird feed, mostly good old-fashioned sunflower seed. And we've spoiled a lot of once self-sufficient wild birds, who have come to rely on our largess, and probably forgotten how or where to find sufficient foodstuffs out in the wilds. So don't 'chicken out' and fail to put out the seeds, just because it got too cold and stormy for YOU. It's a lot more cold and stormy out, for them!

Even the deer, if you've put out feed for them, it should not now be abandoned. They've come to rely on it, so be reliable.

It seems to me that toys are made much more rigorous nowadays, and capable of withstanding the rough treatment toys do receive at the hands of their young owners, so there should still be quite a number underfoot, as we roll out the old year and ring in the new. A good time to store some of the old reliables away, to bring out at a later day, when the new has worn off a bit, and boredom has set in.

For the older 'kids' among us, these bitter days were just made for reading, jigsaw puzzles, games

and, (guess what?) talking! Music is another 'loner' pastime, both listening and playing or singing. And I know: television and video! But doing something with your own hands and brains is much more satisfying than just sitting and having someone else have all the fun of 'doing'.

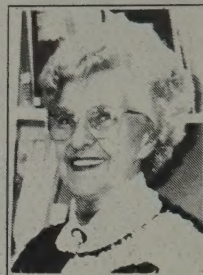
So what shall we resolve to do or not to do, in the brand new year of 1991? (Do you know it will be 11 years before we have another year that reads the same from back or front? 2002). Perhaps that would be a good resolve for me: stop thinking of such trivia.

The good old days resolutions were usually to lose weight, get a new hairdo, walk straighter, quit smoking, etc., all the self-improvement things, so people will like us better. I don't know if we care anymore.

My own resolve may well be to quit talking so much, and with that, I will wish you all a Healthful and Happy New Year, without the sound of bombs dropping anywhere in the world.

Alberta Trails

By Irene Magnusson



'91 predictions? Here goes!

It is traditional, in the final issue of the year, to look forward to the coming twelve months with predictions of events to come. This year, with the GST about to be hung around our unwilling necks, half of Albertans convinced that the province's economy is on a downward roller coaster, and much of the world sure that war is inevitable, it isn't easy to make any predictions that anyone wants to hear. But here goes:

We predict that there will be 52 issues of the Lakeland Review, containing coverage of 24 Town Council meetings, 20 Chamber of Commerce meetings, annual meetings of both of those bodies, the Historical Society and the Library Board, approximately 150 bingos, 10 meetings each of the Red Cross, Pioneer Circle and Hospital Auxiliary, one Canada Day, one Christmas Extravaganza.

We can also feel quite sure in predicting the arrival of a new Town Administrator, the official opening of the Mural Park, the inaugural rodeo at the Ag Society

grounds, three or four each of bonspiels and golf tournaments, half a dozen hockey tournaments and ball tournaments, and the arrival of a New Year's baby.

We predict that donations will once again be given to, and gratefully received, by local groups for worthy endeavors, and that the Class of 1991 will celebrate their escape from the halls of learning with their own special style of pomp and ceremony. Awards will go to students at all grade levels, as Elk Point students again put their efforts toward excellence.

In regards to last year's predictions, we rejoice to say that we were right about Highway 41 being widened and 646 at least partly paved, and a start made on the developments at Fort George-Buckingham House, and plans set to purchase piping for perennial water pumping from the North Saskatchewan. The Tourist Booth is still on its original site, but may not stay there long. Four out of five isn't bad!

The best to all our readers in 1991!

1926 The Old model T the car I ever owned look something like my drawing like a model T was the good car for those days no road and no gravel but if you got stuck in a mud you got those got out pushed for all your might but you always managed to get out. you went, Church or dances, and away you went. Old Henry Ford knew lots of people wanted and he what they got it, the old model T. Cars got through where many others couldn't, and when they got stuck they were hopeless as cars they made what they called a benet buggy and you saw them going to town or when ever they wished to go. I never will forget the brand new model Ford Mr. Langman bought from Mr. C.T.C. Roper who was selling the model T. Cars and had right delivery.

By [Signature] Elk Point Dec. 24/1990



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Lodge celebrates Christmas

Irene Magnusson
Elk Point

December 13 was chosen as the time for the Heritage Lodge staff and residents to enjoy their annual Christmas supper and Christmas entertainment. This was a good choice of time, as the weather was quite agreeable, ensuring a good turn out. The Lodge is quite full at present, and residents are limited in the number of guests they may invite, so as not to overload the facilities.

Of one thing, at the Lodge, there is no shortage. Food was abundantly offered, some brought by guests, much prepared by the staff.

At about 5:30, Alvina Schuhmacher, Matron, welcomed all to the gathering and 'pot luck' supper. Lois Ramer, activities director, then asked the blessing, and all lined up to partake of the feast set before them.

And feast it was! What with perogies, holubsi (cabbage rolls) and nalsnyki (stuffed pancakes), what with the turkey, ham, sausage and meat balls, all with accompanying trimmings, then a whole sea of salads, there was much to suit all tastes. The dessert table was as well-laden. We live in a land of plenty.

Lovely new Christmasy cloths decorated the tables, and amid a wealth of window art and other symbols of the Christmas season, made the spacious dining room an interesting, friendly place.

Supper over, the tables were cleared, and soon the entertainer engaged for the evening was setting up his equipment. Clarence Smith of Saskatoon had filled the waiting minutes with some lively piano selections. Now he led the group in a number of carols and old-time songs. A delightful pair of "dancing

midgets" displayed their singing and dancing skills, earning much applause.

As the evening proceeded there was more song and a bit of dancing, a little more snacking, and all drew to a close, with high spirits and appreciation of all the care and concern shown for the residents by staff and families.

A highlight of the opening moments came when Mrs. Schuhmacher called Erika Bender to the

fore, and gave special thanks to her for her unflagging devotion to the Lodge residents in conducting the weekly bingo sessions through the year.

The finale was the appearance of Santa (actually one of the residents), who, with "HO, HO, HOs!" and all good cheer, presented all in attendance with a bag of goodies, and heartfelt wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!



Alberta Wheat Pool Donations

Craig Campbell, Alberta Wheat Pool Committee Member for Sub District 608, makes donations from the Alberta Wheat Pool to two local groups. Above, he presents \$ 100 to Elk Point Hospital Auxiliary representative Elsie Oryshchuk, while below, he presents the second \$ 100 cheque to Pat Johnson for the Elk Point Scouting Association.



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This week we would like to thank the many volunteers who supported the library during 1990. Without their help we would not have been able to give the excellent service we strive for or accomplish nearly as much as we did.

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Sport council

Alberta Sport Council has awarded two grants in our area during this funding quarter. Heinsburg Community School was awarded \$ 314 to purchase a wide angle telephoto extender and a video camera stand for the school's video camera, while Anaconda Athletics of Tullibee Lake received a grant of \$ 1325 for the purchase of a crash pad, high jump equipment, a mini tramp and five mats for the gymnastics and track and field program.

Zone 7 of the Alberta Sport Council has a new Coordinator, former St. Paul resident Brad Kotowich. He will be in the Council's Lloydminster office as of this week to help you with all your sport related questions and undertakings.

Funding is available from the Alberta Sport Council for many amateur sport applications, including purchase of equipment. Application deadlines are January 1, April 1, July 1 and October 1. To receive an application form or more information, contact Kotowich at 871-6430, or through your RITE operator.

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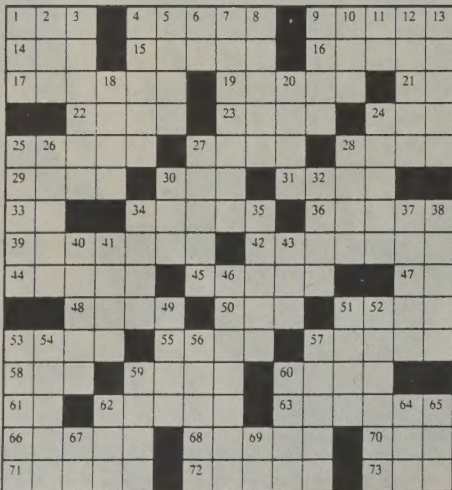
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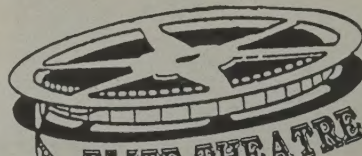
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What If Christmas Was Cancelled?

Mrs. Conrad's Grade 2B Class looked at a country where the king was such an old grouch that he cancelled Christmas, much to the outraged dismay of his royal subjects. The cancellation was forgotten, however, when the wise man (far right) suggested that the king be showered with presents so he would know how much fun Christmas can be.



Take It Away, Dancing Bears!

This lively troupe of dancing bears from Miss Ockerman's Grade 1A class creates Christmas Pandamonium with their antics, as they cavort to the music of a five-elf rhythm band before they leave Santa's toyshop for their new homes on Christmas eve.



Best Pageant Ever

So what-if the three Wise Men brought a ham to the Holy Family instead of gold, frankincense and myrrh? And why shouldn't Mary burp the Baby Jesus? When the incorrigible Herdman children join the community Christmas pageant and give it a new twist, everyone declares it's the best pageant ever. Miss Anderson's Grade 4Bs adapted their play from a well known story.

Scenes from the elementary concert



Nice Mice

Town and country mice get together and gain a new understanding of one another's ways when they celebrate a family Christmas, in Miss Grabas' Grade 4A class' presentation.

Elk Point Hotel

Presents

Daily Food Special

Monday & Friday - \$5.50
Steak Sandwich
Tuesday - \$3.75
Cheese Burger Deluxe
Wednesday - \$4.00
Chicken Burger Deluxe
Thursday - \$3.50
Hamburger Deluxe



Bring in the New Year
with the 50's and 60's
Monday, December 31 - New Year's Eve
Sound of "Next Exit"

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